

ITALY HOLDS ALLIES TO SECRET TREATY

Critical Situation Develops At Peace Conference—Wilson Absents Himself.

Paris, April 21—Premiers Lloyd George, Clemenceau and Orlando met again today in Clemenceau's office and resumed consideration of the Adriatic question. President Wilson again absented himself from the conference.

The Paris dispatches indicate that Italy's unyielding claims to Fiume and the Dalmatian coast have caused a critical situation. A meeting of the allied premiers was held Sunday but President Wilson was not present. He has stood out against recognition of the treaty of London, upon which Italy's maximum claims are based and his absence from the meeting yesterday and today might have been due to the fact that the Italians are invoking that convention in support of their territorial claims.

Fears are felt in some quarters that this unexpected development may affect the program planned for Friday at Versailles. If the German government in its reply to the ultimatum of the Council, raises a controversy regarding the status of their delegates and the procedure to be followed, it is conceivable that arrival of delegates at Versailles may be postponed.

BURLESON CASE TO BE HEARD ON MAY 5

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 21—Upon the government's motion, the Supreme Court today agreed to hear on May 5th next, arguments in the test case from South Dakota and Massachusetts involving the right of Postmaster General Burleson to interfere with existing intrastate telephone rates.

BIG LOAN CAMPAIGN STARTS OFF QUIETLY

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 21—Not a ripple of excitement was apparent at the Treasury Department today at the opening of the Victory Liberty Loan selling campaign. The big nation-wide machine for marketing the four and a half billion dollars as the last big war loan had been so completely adjusted that it went into operation almost automatically.

The big offices in the Treasury were quieter than usual, for the task of putting the loan across has been passed on to local committees in thousands of communities. These apparently are so busy today gathering the harvest of subscriptions they had not time to report progress to national headquarters.

REDS DRIVEN BACK

Bolshevism is again on the back track on the western Ukrainian front. The strength of the soviet forces have apparently been concentrated in an effort to overrun Crimea, which has been successful. The cities of Zitomir and Proskurov, in the Ukraine, were retaken from the Bolsheviks by forces commanded by Simon Petlura, the peasant leader. It is announced that 10,000 Bolshevik soldiers deserted in a body and joined the Ukrainians.

In northern Russia the Bolsheviks are retreating closely pursued by British, Russian and American troops. Vienna, meanwhile is in the hands of soviet adherents.

LOST.—On Main street, Saturday evening, a black leather pocket book containing, seven dollars, fountain pen, door key, and etc. Finder return to Bessie Gentry, phone 594, 120 St.

FOR SALE.—One Ford touring car in good condition. Dr. R. E. Million, phone 298.

DR. J. B. MILLION
PHYSICIAN AND SURGEON
Office: Upstairs, over Building Bank at
Albany Theatre, Main Street
Phone 298. RICHMOND, KY. 119 St.

THE WEATHER

Fair tonight; warmer in east portion Tuesday fair and warmer

FRENCH ARMY BAND

Will Play Matinee Engagement At The Lexington Auditorium Wednesday At 3 O'clock.

The French Army Band Veterans, which is touring the United States under the direction of the French High Commission, has accepted an invitation of the Lexington Board of Commerce to play a matinee engagement in this city on the afternoon of Wednesday April 23, 3 o'clock at the Woodland Park Auditorium.

The veteran band that came to this country upon the invitation of the War Department has toured the United States from Washington to San Francisco playing in the largest cities only, and on arrangement to play in Lexington was made by the Board of Commerce after two weeks negotiations. It was timed to arrive here during the Victory Loan drive.

One of the big features of the Fourth Liberty Loan was the appearance of the French Army Band in many eastern cities, and organization of battle scarred veterans from the trenches. Vast sums of money were raised by their patriotic music. Now that peace has been declared they have been granted an extension of leave by their government in order to make a tour of America, visiting our important cities to further cement that entente cordial feeling that has so long existed between the sister republics.

Many musicians wear soldiers uniforms, but there is only one band whose members not only are veterans of the war, with medals for bravery under fire but also musicians of the highest rank, graduates and winners of Paris Conservatory.

Captain Fernand Pollain, the director, won the highest musical honors in the antebellum days. In war time, he was decorated for bravery, for valor while leading his men to battle. And now he brings to us this organization of battle scarred men of France, to show the "entente cordiale" between France and America.

Central Kentucky will hear them play "The Star Spangled Banner," with new interpretation, feelingly and with reverence; will hear their soloists, and every man in the organization is capable of appearing as soloist on his particular instrument, and best of all, all will catch the spirit of patriotism that has carried France through four years to victory, the spirit that animates the Marseillais "worth a million men to the Armies of France" as played by the men chosen by France to perpetuate the national military music of the war.

WHO WANTS CONFERENCE?

Rev. E. G. B. Mann, presiding elder of the Lexington Methodist District, South, says no place has invited the district conference to meet this year and he is open for invitations. The third round for the conferences in the district are announced as follows: Grassy Lick, April 20; Mt. Sterling, April 27; Morehead, April 27; Frenchburg, May 4; Spears, May 11; College Hill, Doyleville, May 18; Mt. Zion, Dunway, May 25; Epworth, June 1; Park Avenue, May 1; Owingsville, Mt. Pleasant, June 8; Wisemantown, June 15; Mt. Lebanon, June 22; Versailles, June 29; Nicholasville, June 29; District of Conference, June 18-19.

WELCOME FINE DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. James N. Culton are receiving the congratulations of their many friends upon the arrival of a beautiful little daughter which arrived at their home last night. Both mother and daughter are doing nicely.

Was Reared in Madison

Local relatives have received news of the death at St. Louis of Mr. Edmund S. Rowland, followed by interment at his old home in Danville. He is survived by his wife. Mr. Rowland was related to the Shackelfords and other prominent families of Madison, and he was reared in this county. He had been a prominent business man of St. Louis for a number of years.

HAS it ever occurred to you that a worn-out range wastes money in burning too much fuel and spoiling food? A range expert who will have charge of the Majestic Demonstration during the week commencing April 21, will show you how the Majestic Range cuts down household expenses. Muncy Bros. 119 St.

BOYCE TAYLOR PAYS WAY OUT OF JAIL

Murray, Ky., April 21—Following a vision, said to have been had Saturday night in which the Lord informed Rev. H. Boyce Taylor, pastor of the Murray Baptist church, that He did not wish him to stay in jail longer, the minister was released from custody at 10 o'clock Sunday morning and went immediately to his church where he held his regular Sunday services. Members of his congregation came to his rescue and paid all the fines against him. Taylor surrendered to the sheriff of Calloway county two weeks ago after he had refused to pay fines upon conviction of having violated an order of the State Board of Health forbidding public meetings while the influenza epidemic was raging in Murray.

MUSICAL REVUE HERE FOR WEEK'S RUN

The Ches Davis Musical Revue is here to open a week's engagement at the opera house tonight and comes highly recommended. The Paris News gave it the following testimonial after its run there last week:

The company has given splendid satisfaction while here, having fulfilled to the letter their promise made on the opening night, of presenting up-to-date, clean performances with no other object in view than to make their auditors laugh and for the time being forget their worries and cares. Ches Davis, the owner of the company, is as good a black-face comedian, as Paris has seen in many years. His wit is of the genuine, care free, southern darkey, with droll dialect, and natural make-up. Burt Southern, a Kentucky boy from Danville, as a comedian and eccentric dancer, shares the honors with Mr. Davis. Miss Mae Kennis, soubrette, is most pleasing, not only in appearance, but in her rendition of up-to-date songs. Maude Dayton, character woman, of the Dayton sisters, made a big hit in her numerous characters and Jim Prichard, basso, has a wonderful voice, well trained and made a distinct hit.

A NARROW ESCAPE

While riding Sunday afternoon about 4 o'clock, on the Lexington road, Harvey Ringo and Eldridge Carrier had a very narrow escape from death and it was an act of Providence that neither was fatally injured. A tire on the rear wheel of the car they were driving had a blow out at the bottom of the hill below Col. H. B. Hanger's residence and jumped through the fence tearing down seven panels of fencing, and totally demolishing the car. The engine of the car, however, did not stop at the fence but started on a wild chase down the valley and when caught up with was still running. Neither of the boys were scratched and the engine was in good shape while the body of the car was torn to smithereens.

MR. PARKES QUITE ILL

Mr. Sam Parkes has been confined to his room for several days with a milk attack of influenza. Mr. Parkes will soon be 90 years of age. He has rarely missed a day being at the President's desk at the Citizens' National Bank in many years and his many friends hope to see him out, again very soon.

Hun Reply Awaited

Paris, April 21—Grave doubts were expressed today that the perfected peace treaty may be presented to German delegates next Friday. It will be communicated to them in substance, it was said, but it will be physically impossible to prepare the document in complete form in the four days remaining.

Meanwhile the German reply to the ultimatum of the Council of Four that it will not receive any German delegation, not fully empowered to conduct and negotiate peace, is awaited anxiously in the peace conference circles. The next steps toward peace depend upon the German reply.

WE have an order for some nice fat hens and will pay highest cash price for the right kind. Also want some young roosters. No killing fresh fish daily; don't forget. Noll's Fish and Oyster House, phone 431. 120 St.

VICTORY LOAN DRIVE STARTS TODAY

Campaign Opens At Court House Tonight With Address By Captain Torrence

The Madison county organization for the distribution of the Victory Loan 4 3-4 per cent gold notes, will open tonight with an address by Captain Torrence, at the court house at 7.30. Just from the battle fields of Europe, Capt. Torrence will have some very interesting stories to tell the people who will attend this lecture and everyone should be sure to attend.

The personnel of the loan organization is practically the same as that in the last Liberty Loan drive with a few exceptions, and Chairman Paul Burnam requests that all county captains meet with him Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, in the Madison National Bank.

The county organization with captains of the various districts, is as follows:

Paul Burman, Chairman.
Earl Curtis, Vice Chairman.
Director of Sales, four banks of Richmond.

J. P. Chenault, Director of speaking.

E. W. Glass, Director of publicity and campaign expenses.

Miss Helen Bennett, Director of woman's department.

City—R. E. Turley, R. R. Burnam, J. W. Crook, R. M. Rowland.

Foxtown—Dr. J. H. Rutledge.

Union City—James Nolan.

Ellis-Yates—Charles L. Searcy.

Glade—(Berea City)—John L. Gay, John F. Dean.

Outside eBrea—Edgar Moore.

Bearwallow and Kingston—T. D. Chenault.

Kirksville—Wm. A. Arbuckle.

Million and Poosey—John C. Hendren.

JUDGE HARDIN VISIT RICHMONDS

Judge Charles A. Hardin, of Harrodsburg, who is an avowed candidate for the democratic nomination for congress in the Eighth district to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Harvey Helm was in Richmond Saturday afternoon, meeting local democrats. He was accompanied by Hon. Joe Robinson, of Lancaster, who is reported to be slated for appointment as circuit judge in Judge Hardin's district in the event of the latter's election to congress.

It now seems probable that the republicans of the 8th district will nominate Capt. King Swope, of Danville, as their standard-bearer in the special election, that is expected to be held as soon as President Wilson returns and issues a call for a special session of congress, Swope was unanimously endorsed by the Boyle county republican committee last week. He recently returned from France and is said to be an aggressive speaker and campaigner.

James Leeds Home.

Mrs. W. L. Leeds received a telegram from her son, James, last night stating that he had landed in New York and would be sent to Camp Taylor where he will receive his final discharge in a few days. James has made quite a record while in the service, having been leader of his regimental band which has been highly commended by its staff officers. His many friends will be glad to hear that he will be home again.

ANOTHER TEST CASE

Washington, April 21—Upon the government's motion, the Supreme Court today agreed to hear on May 5 the test case restraining the railroads from increasing passenger fares and freight rates, on Director General Hines' order.

Misses Sarah Lall, Bessie Snodgrass, Estelle Roberts, and Anna Fightmaster, all of Harrison county, re-taking the teachers training course at the Normal.

HAVE you seen Mr. J. R. Vaughn, the Majestic range demonstrator? He will be here all week. Have him show the greatest improvement ever put on a range. Muncy Bros. 119 St.

YOUNG COUPLE WED IN LINCOLN COUNTY

Stanford, Ky., April 21

Mr. Prescott Brown and Miss Mary Bailey surprised a host of friends Saturday afternoon by motoring to Lexington and marrying. The bride is the attractive daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Carroll Bailey, and the groom is the younger son of Dr. and Mrs. E. J. Brown. She has been attending the Conservatory of Music at Cincinnati, and came home as it was thought to spend the Easter holidays with her parents. Mr. Brown, who has a position with the L. & N. at Louisville, also came home. The couple were accompanied to Lexington by Miss Nellie Wilson Hill and Messrs. James Bailey and Jesse Hocker. After the ceremony they returned here where they remained until Sunday afternoon when they left for Louisville where they will make their future home. Many friends are extending hearty congratulations and good wishes to the popular young couple.

Mrs. Mary Logan, of Hustonville, died at her home there Saturday, of infirmities of age. She was the mother of Mrs. J. G. Weatherford.

Saturday about noon John Powell, 54, shot and instantly killed Amanda Gooch, 40. Both were negroes and lived in the Chicken Grissle section of Lincoln county. An old trouble is said to be at the bottom of the affair. Powell was arrested and is in jail.

Lewis Singleton wanted in Rhea county, Tennessee, for murder was arrested in the west end of this county by local officers Saturday. He was turned over to the sheriff from Tennessee.

A large crowd attended the sale of Dr. J. G. Carpenter Saturday. Household and kitchen furniture sold well but the residence was taken down at \$4,040, as the owner had been offered a better price privately.

Miss Annie Milburn has accepted a position in the Circuit Clerk's office.

PROMINENT FOX HUNTERS

Dr. George B. Nye, of Waverly, O., and Col. A. G. Turnipseed, of West Union, Ky., are spending a few days with local fox hunters, and while here are being shown some excellent sport by the owners of the champion fox hounds of the country. Both visitors are members of the National Association of Fox Hunters, of which J. D. Chenault, of Madison, is president and J. W. Maupin, secretary. Col. Turnipseed was formerly professor of law at Ann Arbor, Mich., for 30 years and while here, he incidentally met Green Clay, who was one of his pupils several years ago.

HAD GIVEN UP HOPE OF GETTING BETTER

Stomach Trouble of Ten Years Gone Now Since Taking Meritone.

"I had stomach trouble for ten years and had just about given up all hopes of ever getting any better, when I heard about Meritone and started taking it," said Mrs. J. T. Hayes, of 713 Anderson st., Chattanooga, Tenn., and a well known lady of that city.

"I had no appetite and didn't care for anything to eat. I had constipation so badly that it seemed nothing would help me. My whole system became run down. I got nervous and couldn't stand any noise and couldn't sleep at night.

Tells of Benefits.

"I started taking Meritone and it put my stomach back in fine condition and relieved the constipation entirely. It brought me a fine appetite and it doesn't hurt me to eat anything.

"My nerves are back in good shape and I am not bothered by noise and can sleep fine and get up feeling good.

"I am in better health now than for ten years and I just can't say enough in praise of Meritone.

"I am giving this statement for publication in hope that somebody else who feels like I did will give Meritone a trial."

Meritone is highly praised by thousands of people who have taken it and experienced its benefits. It is highly recommended for ailing conditions of the stomach, liver, kidneys, or for catarrh, rheumatism, sleeplessness or lack of appetite.

Meritone is sold exclusively in Richmond by H. L. Perry & Son.

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MADISON COMPLETES JEWISH RELIEF FUND

County Goes "Over Top" As Usual After Meeting At Berea Sunday Night.

At noon today County Chairman O. Olin Green stated that Madison county had gone "over the top" with a good safe margin in the service for Jewish Relief. Reports are not all in, but a sufficient amount has been received to guarantee a safe margin over Madison's quota of \$3,200.

A mass meeting was held at Berea Sunday night. Dr. R. L. Telford and Chairman Green made addresses. Over \$100 was raised and teams were organized and put to work this morning. Messrs. C. F. Higgins and M. Wides went up this morning to assist the teams in making the canvass.

The names of all contributors will be published in the Daily Register. They continue as follows:

Brookstown—Miss Mary Shearer, Delta Field, Dovie Park:	
Mrs. Robert Turpin	2.00
Robert Turpin	3.00
Andrew H. Turpin	.50
William R. Turpin	.50
Lucy Mabel Turpin	.25
Diree V. Parke	.50
Mrs. Lucy A. Gentry	1.00
Miss Elizabeth Eades	1.00
Mrs. Jim Eades	1.00
Mrs. Hy Reeves	1.00
Charles Irvine	.50
Jim Eades	.50
Mrs. Will Bush	1.00
Wm. Lanter	.25
Bill Reeves	.50
Eugene Parrish	5.00
Sam Baldwin	1.00
Will Bush	1.00
Charley Runyon	.50
Ernest Huguley	.50
Brookstown Sunday School	6.00
Mrs. W. A. Williams	5.00
Mrs. E. J. Edwards	2.00
Mrs. A. J. Broadus	1.00
Mrs. Pres Wilson	1.00
Mrs. Silas Baxter	1.75
Mrs. Ed Baxter	1.00
Mrs. Ann Talbott	1.00
Mrs. Curtis Parke	.50
Mrs. W. A. Baxter	5.00
Mrs. Less Turpin	.35
Mrs. Boyd Powell	.50
Mrs. M. F. Shearer	2.00
Miss Minnie Shearer	.50
Miss Mary Shearer	1.00
Miss Lou Pigg	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Tipton	1.00
Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Turpin	10.00
Mrs. Sam Todd	.15
Floyd Anderson	2.00
Ralph Parke	1.00
Curtis Parke	1.00
A. P. Reeves	.50
Tolbert Cox	.50
T. R. Parke	1.00
Harris Shearer	.50
Ova Miller	.50
Ann Bradley	.50
Rena Matherly	.25
Flora Miller	.50
County Team 11—Mrs. Grider, Miss Marie Harber, Miss Stella Marshall, Red House and Shearer:	
John McKinney	.50
Mrs. Will Embury	1.00
Mrs. Whitney Cobb	1.00
Mrs. Jesse Kennedy	1.00
Mrs. Wood	.25
Lyman Whitaker	.25
Mr. Fortwood	.25
Mrs. Aaron Sharp	.25
Mrs. Melvin Azbill	.50
Mr. Reed	.25
Jesse Kennedy	.25
J. Taylor Stiver	.25
Mrs. Horace Dozier	1.00
Mrs. Stuart	1.00
Alex Turpin	1.00
E. E. Davis	.35
Mrs. Shirley Parke	.10
Mrs. Lizzie Davis	.35
Mrs. W. A. Grimes	1.00

Russians Offer a Plan

(By Associated Press)

Washington, April 21—Bulletin—The Russian embassy here today made public an outline of the plan presented to the Paris peace conference by the Russian representatives to solve the Russian problem. It asks recognition as de facto of all national authority who "are inspired by democratic ideals and enjoy the support of the population," pending a setting up on a federation of Russian states.

Not So Game, After All

Stanardsville, Va., April 21—Edgar Morris, a mountain clansman, who has been hiding in the hills three weeks defying arrest on a charge of the murder of Magistrate Bluford Sullivan, failed to carry out his reported threat to appear in the Green county court today and with his clansmen shoot up the court, if he were indicted for murder. Magistrate Bluford Sullivan, failed Order prevailed and the grand jury was impanelled to consider the case.

"Rockwood" is the magic password to the Lodge of Better Coffee. Join today by consulting Brother D. B. McKinney, the grand ruler of the Rockwood Brotherhood. 119 St.